from the Governor today was read and referred to the Committee on Nominations:

> Austin, Texas, February 7, 1963.

To the Senate of the Fifty-eighth Legislature:

I ask the advice, consent and confirmation of the Senate with respect to the following appointments:

To be members of the Board of Directors of A. & M. College of Texas, for six-year terms to expire January 10, 1969: L. F. Peterson of Fort Worth, Tarrant County; Gardiner February 11, 1963. Symonds of Houston, Harris County; Dr. A. P. Beutel of Freeport, Bra-zoria County.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN CONNALLY. Governor of Texas.

House Bills on First Reading

The following bills received from the House were read the first time and referred to the committees indicated:

H. B. No. 64, To the Committee on Agriculture and Livestock.

H. B. No. 294, To the Committee on Water and Conservation.

H. B. No. 320, To the Committee on Education.

Resolution Signed

The President Pro Tempore signed in the presence of the Senate after the caption had been read, the following enrolled resolution:

H. C. R. No. 5, Designating February of each year as American History Month.

Welcome and Congratulatory Resolutions

S. R. No. 105-By Senator Aikin for Senator Dies, President Pro Tempore: Extending welcome to Mrs. Howard Adams of Fulton, Kentucky, and Mrs. John Calloway of Lufkin and Mrs. S. A. Almon of Austin.

Mrs. F. E. Peckenpaugh on their proved.

Golden Wedding Anniversary; amended to add the names of the Lieutenant Governor and all the Senators as signers thereof.

S. R. No. 108—By Senators Bates, Moore and Schwartz: Extending welcome to Richard McDonald, Chairman of Texas 4-H Council of San Benito and Ann Williams, Vice-Chairman of Texas 4-H Council of Angleton, et al.

Adjournment

On motion of Senator Moffett the Senate at 2:42 o'clock p.m. adjourned until 11:00 o'clock a.m. on Monday,

Record of Vote

Senator Patman asked to be recorded as voting "Nay" on the motion to adjourn.

TWENTIETH DAY

(Monday, February 11, 1963)

The Senate met at 11:00 o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by the President.

The roll was called and the following Senators were present:

Aikin Moffett Bates Blanchard Moore Calhoun Owen Cole Parkhouse Colson Patman Ratliff Creighton Reagan Crump Dies Richter Hardeman Rogers Schwartz Harrington Hazlewood Spears Strong Herring Watson Kazen Kennard Word

Absent—Excused

Hall

A quorum was announced present.

Reverend W. H. Townsend, Chaplain, offered the invocation.

On motion of Senator Aikin, and by unanimous consent, the reading of S. R. No. 107—By Senator Reagan: Thursday, February 7, 1963, was dis-Extending congratulations to Mr. and pensed with and the Journal was ap-

Leave of Absence

Senator Hall was granted leave of absence for today on account of important business on motion of Senator Word.

Presentation of Guests

Senator Blanchard presented Mayor Jack Strong of Lubbock and Mr. Nat Williams, Superintendent of Schools of Lubbock to the Members of the Senate.

Senate Bills on First Reading

The following bills were introduced, read first time and referred to the committee indicated:

By Senator Hazlewood:

S. B. No. 264, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending House Bill 886, Acts of the 53rd Legislature, Regular Session, 1953, ch. 394, p. 937, codified as Article 5165a, Vernon's Civil Statutes, regulating the hours of State departments so as to repeal the requirement that headquarters offices shall be open on each Saturday from 8 A.M. to 12 noon; and declaring an emergency."

To the Committee on Finance.

By Senator Hazlewood:

S. B. No. 265, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending subdivision (b) of Section 13 of Senate Bill 5, Acts of the 44th Legislature, Second Called Session, 1935, Chapter 465, as amended, codified in Vernon's as subdivision (b) of Section 13 of Article 3912e, Vernon's Civil Statutes; repealing subdivision (a) of Section 15 of Senate Bill 5, Acts of the 44th Legislature, Second Called Session, 1935, Chapter 465, as amended, codified in Vernon's as subdivision (a) of Section 15 of Article 3912e. Vernon's Civil Statutes; providing for apportionments from the State to counties in which there is a criminal district attorney or a county attorney performing the duties of a district attorney and making other provisions relating thereto; providing the provisions of this Act shall also apply to Harris County; providing a severability clause, and declaring an emergency.

To the Committee on Finance.

By Senator Owen:

S. B. No. 266, A bill to be entitled: "An Act to establish depositories for

Texas state documents, and declaring an emergency."

To the Committee on State Affairs.

By Senator Harrington:

S. B. No. 267, A Bill to be entitled: "An Act authorizing the Commissioner of Agriculture to provide inspection, grading and classification of certain agricultural products, and to enter into cooperative agreements in connection with such inspecting, grading or classification and to issue certificates specifying the grade or quality of such products so graded, classified or inspected; providing that the Commissioner of Agriculture may charge a fee for such inspection, grading or classification; providing that the Commissioner of Agriculture may promulgate rules and regulations in connection with the inspection and classification services provided; providing that the financing of the Act shall be from the fees collected thereunder; and declaring an emergency.

To the Committee on Agriculture and Livestock.

Senate Bill 106 on Second Reading

Senator Schwartz moved that Senate Rules 116 and 13, and Section 5 of Article III of the State Constitution be suspended and that S. B. No. 106 be taken up for consideration at this time.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas-26

Aikin	Kennard
Bates	Krueger
Blanchard	Moffett
Calhoun	Moore
Cole	Parkhouse
Colson	Patman
Creighton	Richter
Crump	Rogers
Dies	Schwartz
Hardeman	Spears
Hazlewood	Strong
Herring	Watson
Kazen	\mathbf{Word}

Absent

Harrington Ratliff Owen Reagan

Absent-Excused

Hall

The President laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 106, A bill to be entitled "An Act relating to the division of certain rural high school districts and consolidated independent school districts into election precincts by the Board of County School Trustees in certain counties; providing for the mode of election and terms of office of school trustees in said rural high school districts and consolidated independent school districts; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 106 on Third Reading

Senator Schwartz moved that Senate Rules 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 106 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas-29

Aikin	Krueger
Bates	Moffett
Blanchard	Moore
Calhoun	Parkhouse
Cole	Patman
Colson	Ratliff
Creighton	Reagan
Crump	Richter
Dies	Rogers
Hardeman	Schwartz
Harrington	Spears
Hazlewood	Strong
Herring	Watson
Kazen	Word
Kennard	

Absent

Owen

Absent—Excused

Hall

The President then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas-30

Aikin	Calhoun
Bates	Cole
Blanchard	Colson

Creighton	Owen
Crump	Parkhouse
Dies "	Patman
Hardeman	Ratliff
Harrington	Reagan
Hazlewood	Richter
Herring	Rogers
Kazen	Schwartz
Kennard	Spears
Krueger	Strong
Moffett	Watson
Moore	Word

Absent—Excused

Hall

Senate Bill 110 on Second Reading

Senator Parkhouse moved that Senate Rules 116 and 13 and Section 5 of Article III of the State Constitution be suspended and that S. B. No. 110 be taken up for consideration at this time.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas-27

Aikin	Kennard
Bates	Krueger
Blanchard	Moffett
Calhoun	Moore
Cole	Owen
Colson	Parkhouse
Creighton	Patman
Crump	Ratliff
Dies	Reagan
Hardeman	Richter
Harrington	Schwartz
Hazlewood	Spears
Herring	Word
Kazen	,,,,,,

Nays--2

Rogers Watson

Absent

Strong

Absent-Excused

Hall

The President laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 110, A bill to be entitled "An Act concerning ad valorem taxation of State and national banking corporations; providing a method of valuation for ad valorem taxation of the shares of stock of state and na-

tional banking corporations; declaring liability for ad valorem taxes on the value of shares; declaring a lien for ad valorem taxes levied on the value of shares; prohibiting transfer of shares when the owner is in default on ad valorem taxes levied thereon; prohibiting discriminatory taxation; providing a savings clause; providing a severability clause; repealing certain laws; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Resolution 113

Senator Bates offered the following resolution:

Whereas, We are honored today to have as a visitor in the Senate Miss Sally St. John, Cover Girl of the Rio Grande Valley Livestock Show and Rodeo at Mercedes; and

Whereas, We desire to welcome this distinguished visitor to the Capitol Building and Capital City; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That her presence be recognized by the Senate of Texas and that she be extended the official welcome of the Senate, and that she be presented to the Senate.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

The President announced the appointment of Senators Bates, Krueger, Blanchard, Moffett and Moore to escort Miss St. John to the President's Rostrum.

The President presented Senator Bates and he presented Miss St. John to the Senate.

Miss St. John addressed the Senate expressing appreciation and thanks for the honor and privilege of being a guest of the Senate and extended an invitation to the Members to attend the Rio Grande Valley Livestock Show and Rodeo.

Senate Resolution 114

Senator Kazen offered the following resolution:

Whereas, The Honorable John Connally, Governor of the State of Texas, the Honorable Preston Smith, Lieutenant Governor of the State of Texas, Concrado Don Eduardo Livas Villartenant Governor of the State of Nuevo

and the Honorable Byron Tunnell, Speaker of the House of Representatives, following the traditions of the past in cementing the friendly and cordial relations existing between our State and Country and those of our neighbors to the South, have graciously accepted the invitation of the Washington Birthday Association of Laredo, Texas, to attend the annual celebration of our Founding Father's birthday on February 22, 1963; and,

Whereas, In a reciprocal spirit of good neighborliness and following the generous and warm traditions on the part of the Republic of Mexico and its officials in continuing to strive for the better and greater understanding and appreciation between the people of their and our Country, Sr. Licenciado Don Praxedis Balboa, Governor of the State of Tamaulipas, Sr. Don Manuel Gonzalez Cossio, Governor of the State of Queretaro, Sr. Licenciado Don Augustin Arriaga Rivera, Governor of the State of Michoacan, Sr. Profesor Don Manuel Lopez Davila, Governor of the State of San Luis, Potosi, Sr. Licenciado Don Eduardo Livas Villarreal, Governor of the State of Nuevo Leon, General Don Raul Madero, Governor of the State of Coahuila, and Sr. Licenciado Don Juan Jose Torres Landa, Governor of the State of Guanajuato, have graciously accepted the invitation of the Washington Birthday Association of Laredo, Texas, to attend this year's celebration in Lardeo, Texas; and,

Whereas, The Senate of the State of Texas wishes to express its appreciation and thanks to the generous spirit of these Honorable Governors of their respective States of the great Republic of Mexico in attending and meeting jointly with the Governor of our State in furtherance of these noble and irreplaceable efforts of understanding and brotherhood; now, therefore, be it

Resolved That the Senate of the State of Texas commends and expresses its appreciation and gratitude to Sr. Licenciado Don Praxedis Balboa, Governor of the State of Tamaulipas, Sr. Don Manuel Gonzalez Cossio, Governor of the State of Queretaro, Sr. Licenciado Don Agustin Arriaga Rivera, Governor of the State of Michoacan, Sr. Profesor Don Manuel Lopez Davila, Governor of the State of San Luis Potosi, Sr. Licenciado Don Eduardo Livas Villarreal. Governor of the State of Nuevo

Leon, General Don Raul Madero, Governor of the State of Coahuila, and Sr. Licenciado Don Juan Jose Torres Landa, Governor of the State of Guanajuato in giving their time and effort to attend the Washington Birthday Celebration in Laredo, Texas, on February 22, 1963, and again expresses for the people of the State of Texas the sincere and warm hope and desire for continuing better and more perfect understanding and appreciation between our countries.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

Senator Kazen by unanimous consent presented representatives of the Washington Birthday Association to the Members of the Senate.

Welcome Resolutions

- S. R. No. 109—By Senator Aikin: Extending welcome to Dr. C. C. Clark and Mark L. Hodges of Paris.
- S. R. No. 110—By Senator Word: to be recorded as v Extending welcome to R. B. Johnson of Valley Mills.
- S. R. No. 111—By Senator Watson: Extending welcome to Otis Gardner et al.
- S. R. No. 112-By Senator Harrington: Extending welcome to Mrs. Jewell Parker and Mrs. Rosemary Dorgan.
- S. R. No. 115—By Senator Word: Extending welcome to Richard Tuck of Waxahachie.

Adjournment

On motion of Senator Moffett the Senate at 12:03 o'clock p.m. adjourned until 10:30 o'clock a.m. tomorrow.

TWENTY-FIRST DAY

(Tuesday, February 12, 1963)

The Senate met at 10:30 o'clock p.m., pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by the President.

The roll was called and the following Senators were present:

Aikin Bates Blanchard Colson

Crump Dies Hardeman Herring Kazen Ratliff
Krueger Reagan
Moffett Richter
Moore Schwartz
Parkhouse Strong
Patman Word

Absent

Calhoun Cole Creighton Hall Harrington

Hazlewood

Kennard Owen Rogers Spears Watson

The President announced that there was not a quorum of the Senate present.

Adjournment

On motion of Senator Hardeman the Senate at 10:33 o'clock a.m. adjourned until 10:30 o'clock a.m. tomorrow.

Record of Votes

Senators Patman and Reagan asked to be recorded as voting "Nay" on the motion to adjourn.

TWENTY-SECOND DAY

(Wednesday, February 13, 1963)

The Senate met at 10:30 o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by the President.

The roll was called and the following senators were present:

Aikin
Bates
Blanchard
Calhoun
Cole
Colson
Creighton
Crump
Dies
Hardeman
Harrington
Hazlewood
Kazen
Kennard

Moffett
Moore
Owen
Parkhouse
Patman
Ratliff
Reagan
Richter
Rogers
Schwartz
Spears
Strong
Watson
Word

Absent-Excused

Hall

Krueger

Herring

A quoroum was announced present.

Reverend W. H. Townsend, Chaplain, offered the invocation.